

# The Beiseker Times

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## BEISEKER ICE CARNIVAL SUCCESS; SHIRLEY HAASE CROWNED QUEEN

**BEISEKER** — The annual ice carnival took place on Saturday evening, Feb. 23, and despite the cold, was very successful. Program opened with "O Canada" and speech by Mayor L. L. Schmaltz. The crowning of the queen and presentations to the queen and ladies-in-waiting were made by Mr. F. A. Lount. The queen was Miss Shirley Haase. Ladies-in-waiting were Miss Inga Bergman and Miss Jean Ruderman.

### Class A—Fancy Skating

Beatrice Brosteau, Elvina Kroschel, Keith Schmaltz, Kenny Daubert, Jerry Schmaltz, Kenny Rief-snyder, Margaret Wright, Janet Lavoie.

### Class B—Drill

Larry Seizler, Geraldine Verhaest, Frances Schwartzberger, Ann Lohrke, Betty Schmaltz, Joey Wright, Clayton Metzger, Elsie Sempovitch, Johnny Richter, Gay Schmaltz, Frances Lavoie, Carrol Goodman, Raymond Hopf, Geraldine Hagel, Wayne Wright, Audrey Verhaest.

### Tiny Tots

Perry Schmaltz, Cecil Velker, Trudy Murray, Theresa Schmaltz, Andy Schmaltz, Charlotte Rempel, Jimmy Schmaltz.

### Class A—Drill

Keith Schmaltz, Beatrice Brosteau, Ann Grande, Kenny Rief-snyder, Janet Lavoie, Ken Daubert, Larry Seizler, Elvina Kroschel, Frank Richter, Margaret Wright, Terry Schmaltz, Eileen Velker, Jerry Schmaltz, Marilyn Sempovich, Douglas Skuce, Catherine Skuce.

### Class B—Fancy Skating

Gay Schmaltz, Jerry Silber-nagel, Geraldine Hagel, Wayne Wright, Frances Schwartzberger, Audrey Verhaest.

### Fancy Skating Duet

Louana Schwartzberger, Bernice Schmaltz.

### Senior Boys and Girls

Audrey Verhaest, Jack Seizler, Gay Schmaltz, David Brosteau, Bernice Schmaltz, Claire Schmaltz, Louana Schwartzberger, Louis Schmaltz.

Waltz by Mrs. Carol Schmaltz and John Verbeck.

Lions Comedy Skit — Participants unknown.

### Senior Girls' Fancy Skating

Louana Schwartzberger, Audrey Verhaest, Bernice Schmaltz, Ruth Schmaltz, Bernice Seizler, Donna Velker, Sylvia Kroschel, Emily Borgardt.

All groups were under the direc-

tion of Mrs. C. L. Schmaltz. Following the entertainment, a lunch of weiners and soft drinks was served to the children by the Lions Club.

Mrs. C. L. Schmaltz wishes to thank all those who turned out in the cold weather to help make this carnival a success.

## Bonspiel Results

**BEISEKER** — The results of the Beiseker Men's bonspiel held last week were:

Beiseker Motors Event, Trophy and Midget Trophies—1, Clarence Smith rink, Acme; 2, Bob Knight, Irricana; 3, Ed Wray, Irricana; 4, K. Hendricks, Irricana.

Adams Shop—1, H. Neubauer, Beiseker; 2, L. L. Schmaltz, Beiseker; 3, Adam Velker, Beiseker; 4, Bob Knight, Irricana.

Merchant's Event—1, D. B. Olsen, Beiseker; 2, C. Isom, Strathmore; 3, Lou Brosteau, Beiseker; 4, Johnny Steele, Irricana.

Grand Aggregate — Clarence Smith, Acme.

## Tractor Damaged In Garage Fire

**CROSSFIELD** — The fire brigade was called out to Jack Harrison's on Thursday last. His garage was already in flames and the tires burnt off a tractor when they arrived. The brigade saved the garage and the chicken house next to it.

W. A. Hurst, machinist, figures the tractor may be able to be fixed.

The blaze started again from shavings in the evening, but was once more subdued by the fire brigade.

## Hockey Scores

**BEISEKER** — The Beiseker Midget hockey team played a game in Irricana on Sunday afternoon, February 24. The score was 3-0 in favor of Beiseker.

Monday night, February 25, the Beiseker High School played Three Hills at Beiseker. The score was 5-0 in favor of Beiseker.

## BEISEKER NEWS BRIEFS

Two rinks from Beiseker competed in the ladies' bonspiel held in Irricana last week-end, each bringing home a prize in the consolation. Second prize was won by Mrs. L. L. Schmaltz's rink and fourth prize was won by Mrs. H. T. Simmond's rink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Little were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmonds on Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Wald was in Edmonton for a few days last week attending the Red Cross convention which was held on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 21-22.

Miss Rosemarie Wald is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Allan Purvis in Edmonton. Mr. Purvis is in Europe with the hockey team.

Visitors in Beiseker for the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Max Wald of Calgary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wald; Miss Florence Hagel at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hagel; Misses Louise Margaret and Emmanuel Hagel at Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hagel.

Mrs. C. L. Schmaltz and 14 senior boys and girls of the fancy skating group journeyed to Trochu to take part in their annual ice carnival which was held on Wednesday, Feb. 20. Mr. and Mrs. Schmaltz wish to thank the Trochu people for the wonderful hospitality shown them while attending this event.

Miss Doreen Hagel entertained with a tea on Wednesday, Feb. 20 in honor of Miss Florence Torgstedt, who is resigning her position with the Royal Bank. The guest of honor was presented with pieces of sterling silver from the staff.

There was one vacancy on the village council which was filled again by Adam Velker who was re-elected by acclamation. Mayor Mr. L. L. Schmaltz was elected by acclamation to the board of the Calgary Hospital Rural District No. 63, comprising the village of Beiseker, Acme and surrounding rural areas.

A Valentine dance was held in the Beiseker Memorial Hall on Friday, Feb. 22, put on by the hall committee.

A large crowd attended a show in the Beiseker Memorial hall on Thursday, Feb. 21, sponsored by Feliz Hogel and Sons and the John Deere Co. Mrs. Sam Leiske and G. L. Rau were winners of the door prizes given away that evening. Frances Lavoie drew the winners.

## Board of Trade To Have Annual Meeting

**BEISEKER**—The annual meet-



FRIDAY, February 15th, was a Day of Mourning throughout Canada, marking as it did the funeral day of His Majesty, the late King George VI.



**THE NEW QUEEN**, shown above in a picture taken on her visit to Edmonton last fall, has now assumed the rigorous responsibilities of the monarchy, as Elizabeth II.

ing of the Beiseker and District Board of Trade will be held in the Memorial Hall on Monday, March 3, at 8:30 p.m. All those interested are invited to attend the meeting. Come out and boost for your community by supporting your Board of Trade.

## Miscellaneous Shower Held Recently In Madden Church

**MADDEN** — On Wednesday, Feb. 20, Mrs. N. King was hostess at a miscellaneous shower held in the church for Miss Laura Liddell, whose marriage took place Saturday.

The gifts were piled in a miniature hospital and pulled in a decorated wagon by Joyce Dodd and Margaret Hamilton, who were dressed as nurses. Miss Jean Massie, a former classmate of the bride-elect, very fittingly preented the gifts. Miss Liddell was helped by Miss Ann McEwan and Miss Jean Massie in the opening of the parcels.

Laura thanked everyone for the gifts and extended an invitation to visit her in her new home, which will be in Hanna.

A bountiful lunch was served in the basement. The tables were decorated with flowers, and the brides' table centred with a delicious angel food cake.

## LEVEL LAND NEWS BRIEFS

Matt Schmaltz of Beiseker and John Leiske attended the meeting of the Drumheller District Agricultural Society on Feb. 20. The meeting was held in the new Provincial Building in Drumheller. On Monday night, Feb. 19, at the regular Faith For Today meetings held by Pastor A. Blair, A. Taylor was introduced by L. H. Davis as the new president of the Alberta Conference of Seventh Day Adventists. Pastor Taylor formerly came from California.

Mr. Don Weich of Dowling was a week-end visitor in the Level Land district on Feb. 23-24.

A hockey game was played at the Level Land rink on Sunday afternoon. The teams were made up of Calgary and Level Land players. The Calgary boys were Harvey Bechtold, the Huether boys and the Kaiser boys, and Allen Lang the goalie.

Mrs. F. A. Tetz returned home from Lacombe last Friday.

Misses Ruth and Sieglinda Sell of Calgary were week-end visitors to the home of their mother and brothers of this district.

Miss Della Huether, who is a nurse's aid at the Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huether.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metzgar of Didsbury visited Mrs. Metzgar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huether the week-end of Feb. 23.

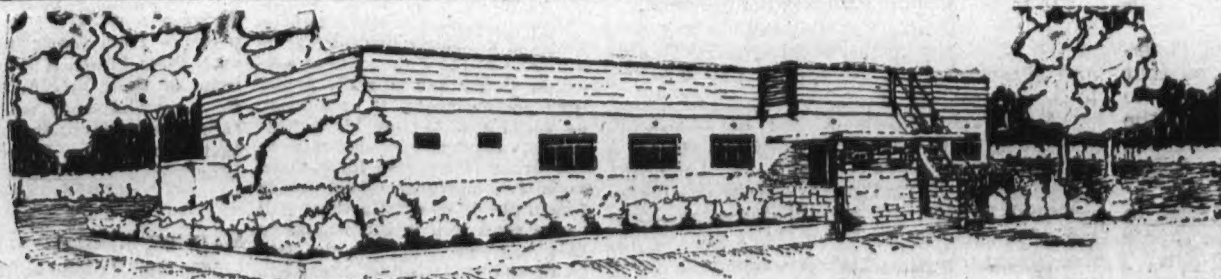
Miss A. Dahlke and Mr. Edwin Dahlke of Calgary were week-end visitors in the Level Land district.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leiske on Feb. 19 were Pastors A. Taylor, L. H. Davis and A. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leiske and Clayton were weekend visitors in the Level Land district with relatives and friends.

Howard Gimbel, Geraldine Roth and Marjorie Leiske, all of Canadian Union College, were happy to get a ride home with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leiske the week-end of the 23rd to visit their parents.

The King of Spades in your playing card deck represents David, Lord of Israel, described as a "man of war."



The new provincial civil defence headquarters building is shown above. Located near the western outskirts of Edmonton at 146 Street, the two-storey building, of which one-and-one-half storeys are underground, is of reinforced concrete. A facade above the roof gives it a two-storey appearance. Approximately 32 feet by 84 feet, the building contains committee rooms, communica-

tion room, operations room, offices, washroom facilities, emergency kitchen and special ventilation features and is so designed that an addition can be made when necessary. The headquarters will also house the government's radio section, thus ensuring communication with all parts of the province in time of emergency.



## EDITORIALS

### More Economic Grief

That old bogey—the dollar shortage, has hit the headlines again for Great Britain. No sooner has Prime Minister Winston Churchill set foot again on British soil after his trip to the United States, than new, harsher restrictions were placed on the British people to solve, if possible, their money problems.

Though the crisis is related in terms of dollar shortage, it can be summed up in Britain's inability to produce enough to keep up with the new defence program and maintain the present standard of living which already is much lower than that enjoyed by Canadians.

Churchill can be depended upon to attack this renewed problem with his usual vigor and direct methods, and it is to be hoped that before very long the British will have been able to fill in with more production the chasm of dollar shortage which keeps them from enjoying more of the better things of life.

### Food and Peace

The world cannot hope for a secure peace as long as great numbers of its peoples border on starvation and who are becoming sufficient with suspicion and hostility. It is increasingly aware of their poverty in relation to our plenty.

This statement was made at the annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture by the Prime Minister of Canada who suggested that Canadians can help to alleviate the world hunger by producing more through improved farm practices and sharing what they have with the hungry.

No one can dispute the Prime Minister's argument. As long as people have insufficient food, they will regard those who have difficult to talk a person into being a friend when the shadow of starvation is lurking behind him.

Some Canadians think we are producing as much as we can and that most of the arable land in the country is now in use. But increased production does not necessarily require more soil. It may be achieved by getting more out of the existing farm acreage. An announcement by the National Fertilizer Association verifies this. The association said that if grasslands in the United States were fertilized as recommended by the nation's agricultural colleges, the additional fertilizer would have made possible the production of almost 3,000,000 extra tons of beef.

Moreover, if adequate amounts of fertilizer had been applied to land devoted to field crops, U.S. farmers could have increased their corn output by 22 per cent, wheat by 13 per cent and cotton by 28 per cent.

If this could be done across the border, the same should be possible in Canada where facilities to produce fertilizers and other essential agricultural chemicals have kept pace with increased demands in recent years.

### The Stubborn Minded

By this time it would almost seem as if the Soviet satellites in eastern Europe must be realizing they have not anchored to a star in the international political disputes of the United Nations. Time and again the Russian spokesmen have tried to win decisions that would bolster their reputation with their satellites, but time and again they have been turned down for good and sufficient reasons.

It surely cannot be that the satellite nations are wholly blind to this fact, or that they are incapable of understanding the implications of this repeated rejection of the Russian proposals? Or is it that their leaders are just stubborn and determined to follow the Soviet star until it sets?

Any open eyed democracy would wish to change wagons by this time if the driver proved as incompetent as the Soviet drivers appear to be. Statesmanship surely follows a more effective path than that followed by the Russian leader.

Almost everyone is a liberal, by his or her definition.

## On Astronomy and Astrophysics

At the recent International Astronomical Congress, several engineers proposed that either the sixty-inch or one hundred-inch mirror of the Mount Wilson, California, telescope be sent some 22,000 miles into space to be used as an observatory. While the editor has no objection to this project, it might be well for the engineers to explain first how the mirrors could be set up in the space observatory.

The engineers say that the two mirrors at the Mount Wilson Observatory are virtually useless now because of the night glare of nearby Los Angeles, which fogs photographic plates. They also reject the idea of setting up the mirrors on the moon, in a new observatory there, saying that sky fog would handicap such a moon observatory. Because sky fog is caused by zodiacal light, there is no way of eliminating it other than locating a telescope as far out into space as Jupiter.

Because this is impractical, the engineers propose building the space observatory about 23,000 miles out from the earth. They have even solved the problem of keeping the mirrors from breaking en route by suggesting that they be encased in silicon putty, which is used to protect instruments and cameras sent aloft in rockets fired from White Sands, New Mexico.

As far as we are concerned, the engineers have presented a convincing case and have this newspaper's approval to begin their outward journey at the soonest opportune moment.

### Seeding Dates and Yields

Experiments on the effect of date of seeding on yields of wheat, oats and barley have been conducted since 1923 at the Swift Current experimental station in southern Saskatchewan. Indications there are that for maximum yields barley should be seeded from as early as possible to May 1, oats from May 1 to May 20. Barley produced the highest average yields if seeded as early as possible, while wheat and oats produced the best yields if seeded during the latter part of the periods mentioned. The tests showed that the yields of all grain dropped fairly rapidly if seeding was delayed beyond these dates.

### St. Lawrence Seaway

Farm people of Western Canada are interested in the construction of the St. Lawrence seaway, which Canada may build alone if the United States congress refuses to participate in a joint undertaking. When completed the project will provide a 27 foot channel stretching 2,350 miles from the mouth of the St. Lawrence at Belle Isle, near Newfoundland, to the head of Lake Superior.

A large part of the work has already been done. The principal remaining obstructions to passage of deep draft ocean-going vessels into the Great Lakes lie in the St. Lawrence between Ogdensburg and Montreal, a 119 mile passage. Construction by the United States would be limited mainly to a 46 mile section called the International Rapids, extending from Ogdensburg to the point at which the St. Lawrence ceases to constitute the international boundary. Canada would do the construction from that point to Montreal, where the river flows entirely within Canadian territory.

If Canada should undertake the project alone, she will dig the channel on her side of the boundary in the International Rapids and elsewhere, and collect all the shipping tolls.

A second feature of the St. Lawrence project is the proposed construction of a hydro-electric power plant at Barnhart Island on the United States side of the International Rapids. The annual average output of electricity would be about 12,600 million kilowatt hours, highest in the world.

### The Bible Today:

O give thanks unto the Lord; for He is good: because His mercy endureth forever.

—Psalms, CXVIII; 1

Suez Isn't the Only Lifeline in Peril



## Voice of the People

### FAVORS TARIFFS

I note that you carried an editorial quoting a recent statement made in the publicity organ of the Alberta Wheat Pool, on free enterprise. The editorial wants the Canadian Chamber of Commerce to define free enterprise. In particular, it wanted to know whether free enterprise means that cotton manufacturers must have tariff protection, and that Canadian motor car manufacturers must have higher price for cars made in Windsor, than similar cars can be sold for in Detroit.

Now this is thoroughly dishonest. This is an attempt to pretend that tariff protection is the sort of thing which will take place in a capitalistic society, while, in a socialist one, there would be no tariff protection. It is an attempt to capitalize on free trade arguments in order to make a case for socialism.

No government in the world has been more determined to use quotas, import and export permits and all other protectionist devices than was the socialist government in Britain. Mr. Coldwell would certainly be the last to announce that Canadian socialists demanded the removal of tariffs. He would lose too many votes—that is, the industrial areas of Ontario.

Tariffs were adopted by the Canadian government, not by Canadian manufacturers. They were put into effect because, until this was done, it was impossible to build up any sort of a manufacturing industry in Canada, so that young men and women seeking any other occupation than that of farming were forced to move across the border.

The Canadian manufacturer, reaching a smaller market than is available to the United States producer, simply has to get a higher price for his goods. If he did not, he would have to close his factory.

Now, anyone who believes in free trade is welcome to go down to Ontario and Quebec, and preach free trade. It is certain there will be no votes won in those areas in that way. To drag out the free trade and protectionist argument, as though that has something to do with the choice between free trade enterprise and Socialism, is a thoroughly improper approach to an important problem.

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### THE NEIGHBORS

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The neighbors.  
But, folks, when down life's party line  
Old trouble sounds the call that's mine,  
Who's first to say "Buck up, old man,  
We're here to help you all we can?"

The neighbors.  
Who stands close when there's grief to bear?  
Whose kindly hands seem everywhere?

The neighbors.  
Who, after all's been said and done  
Are the best folks beneath God's sun?

The neighbors.

M. GOLDEN.

### HORROR FOR HONKERS

Compared to other places, Edmonton motorists get away with murder, particularly regarding excess horn-blowing. Unfortunately, too many feeble-minded drivers derive a sense of power and importance from shattering the air with these blasts. I suggest that some of these morons be locked in a special chamber, and be forced to listen to the blaring of their own horns for one solid hour.

HAL.

### MAIL BY SNAIL

Why does it take so long for a letter to travel through the Edmonton post office? I have complained to the Calgary post office but they tell me the fault lies at the Edmonton end.

VICTIM



## Spotlight on ...

## ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People

Week Ending March 1, 1952

## WEATHER, SHORTAGES OF MONEY, MATERIALS, HAMPER ROAD WORK

Hon. Gordon Taylor, minister of highways in the Alberta government and Member of the Legislative Assembly for the constituency of Drumheller, says that "shortages are definitely threatening road progress in Alberta."

He said the shortage of materials is so serious that the Canadian Good Roads Association has urged the Federal Government to classify road building as an essential measure in defence.

Mr. Taylor goes on to say that limited funds are also a factor in slowing down highway construction. "Secondly," he states, "Alberta has not an unlimited amount of money. We have not found the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. Certainly, because of wise government policy, namely, expending or using the money accruing from the depletion of an asset beneath the ground to build an asset above the ground, a larger amount of revenue has been made available to the Department of Highways than it otherwise would have had. But there is still a limit, and when the money voted by the elected representatives of the people is spent, work must stop."

### 17th MONTH OF SNOWFALL

A third factor and one over which mere man or government has no dominion is the weather. Alberta is now in its 17th consecutive month in which snow fell and that is a long winter in anybody's



HON. GORDON E. TAYLOR  
... Alberta Minister of Highways

country. This weather last summer accounted for the loss of more than 1,700 10-hour shifts in main highway construction; a lot of road consequently was not built and all work was hampered.

## UA Agriculture Club "Education Week" Field Day Coming Saturday, March 1st

The Agriculture Club "Field Day," this year presented in connection with Varsity Guest Weekend, is on tap for Saturday, March 1, at the University of Alberta in Edmonton.

Presented for the past several years as a separate event, the Agriculture Club has this year agreed to present the affair as a major event in the over-all scheme of the University of Alberta students and Administration to interest parents and prospective parents in the doings of students at the University.

High School students from every part of the province will attend the "Field Day" again this year, to see displays in every branch of Agriculture Club activities. Last year some 1500 High School students from rural areas in Northern and Central Alberta attended the affair.

In addition to the High School boys and girls this year, the parents of "Ags" will also be invited to take part in the event, in order to become better acquainted with the activities of their sons at the University of Alberta.

Displays in Field crops, Live-stock care and breeding, Dairying principles, Nutrition of farm animals, and various poultry displays will highlight the day long event.

In conjunction with the Agriculture Club, the Household Economics Club will also put on a show of their activities, of interest to women and especially mothers of the girls in the faculty. Cooking, sewing, nutrition and other subjects related to home-planning will be on review for the Agriculture Club "Field Day", Saturday, March 1, at the University of Alberta in Edmonton.

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was present at the meeting, proposed that a committee of three representative teachers be set up to assist him in drafting program of physical activities for schools competing for the Strathcona award.

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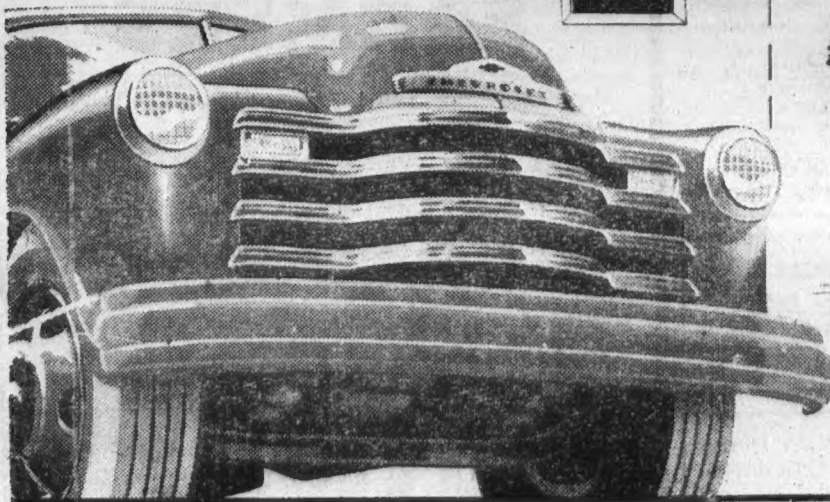
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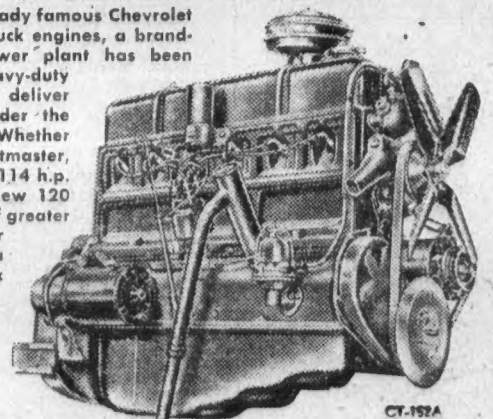
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## Farmers' Union To Build Headquarters For Office In Edmonton

At a meeting held in Edmonton Jan. 29 to Feb. 2, the FUA Board of Directors dealt with many matters. All resolutions and business left over from the annual convention were attended to.

The question of a permanent office for the FUA was discussed, and it was decided to open a building fund and invite contributions from locals and individuals. It was also decided to sell the FUA house which was purchased some years ago for the use of the president and put the proceeds into the building fund.

The date and place of the next annual convention was discussed and it was decided to hold it in the Alberta College auditorium, Edmonton, on Dec. 8 to 12, 1952.

A report of the membership drive showed membership well ahead of the same time last year with a good percentage of new membership coming in. Subscriptions to the official organ of the FUA, the 'Organized Farmer' are at an all-time high.

Alberta members to the Inter-Provincial Farmers' Union Council elected were Mrs. W. C. Taylor, A. B. Wood and Henry Young. James Cameron of Youngstown was appointed as FUA representative on

the Hudson's Bay Route Association.

Tentative arrangements were made to participate in an Inter-Provincial Farm Union Conference to be held in Saskatoon in July. James Patton, the president of the National Farmers' Union of the U.S.A. is expected to be one of the principal guest speakers. An invitation has been extended also to the Prime Minister of Canada to address the conference.

Plans for district conventions were discussed and a tentative schedule of dates drawn up. Most of these will be held prior to the middle of July.

A proposal from the Edmonton Union of Rural Municipalities to have the FUA join with Alberta Federation of Agriculture and the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts in preparing and presenting to the Provincial Government a brief in support of a new deal of Rural Electrification, was endorsed by the board meeting.

After considering future policy and many other matters, the board adjourned, to meet again about the end of July.

## Christmas Seal Fund Closing Date

February 25th will be the closing date for the 1951-52 Christmas TB Seal sale in Alberta, it was announced today by G. S. Lickie, Lethbridge, president of the Alberta Tuberculosis Association.

Provincial receipts to date total \$179,250, which is still \$5,750 short of the \$185,000 objective. This amount is the very least that will permit the Association to carry out its extensive program in 1952-3, which includes early diagnosis through mobile units and x-ray installations in hospitals, vocational training and rehabilitation, tuberculin testing, nursing services and welfare, research and health education, public and professional.

For Edmonton and Northern Alberta, the total now stands at \$75,150, which is still \$4,850 from the \$80,000 objective. V. J. Mahony, chairman of the Edmonton Kinsmen Club Christmas TB Seal Committee, reports that a large number of former contributors have not yet been heard from, and urges everyone to "send in that contribution now."

Christmas TB Seal contributions are income tax deductible, and may be sent to the Edmonton Kinsmen Club Christmas TB Seal Office, Heintzman Hall, Edmonton, Alberta.

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Our parents were upset and as my husband was an only child his mother decided that she would try make the best of it and send us both to a co-ed school so that he could still get his education. This worked out fine for the first year but, after the baby came, things are not so pleasant.

I have to stay home with her, wash clothes and try to make our allowance for two stretch for three. My husband enjoys college life and wants to take part in all of the school activities. This throws him with attractive girls, who have lovely clothes and nothing on their minds but school work and a good time.

When he does get home, I am worn out and he doesn't seem to love the baby as I do. In fact, he doesn't act like a father but more like a brother to the baby. He doesn't seem to take his responsibilities seriously at all.

I am afraid if this keeps up that we will break up and that will be bad, especially for the baby.

Is there anything I can do to prevent this happening, I love him but I realize now that we were both too young to know what marriage meant when we eloped.

SORRY.

Answer:

You have a rocky road ahead of you and I hope you can make the trip without too much grief. Try to manage the best you can and not get discouraged, as that will only make matters worse.

The odds are always against the very young couple, who haven't had their play time before they get married. They wish to keep on playing and get angry when their responsibilities weigh them down at home.

If youngsters would only take a little advice and wait until they are old enough to know what they want, a great many marriages would be saved from the divorce courts.

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At recess a school chum crept up behind me and hit the back of my head with a football. Wanting to get even, I crept up behind her later and let her have it—but hard! Imagine my embarrassment when "she" turned around, and it proved to be the teacher who wore the same kind of outfit!

**THEODORE TURKOWSKI**  
Colinton, Alta.

I was chasing my little brother around the house in a game of tag and with enthusiasm I shouted "Here I come, Alex, I'm a fast girl." Unbeknown to me a neighbor boy, also named Alex, had called to see me, and it embarrassed me to think he might have gotten the wrong idea from what I had called out to my little brother as he heard it.

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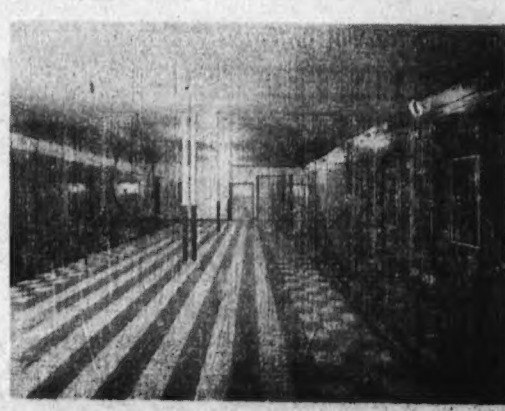
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Collinton, Alta. Marion Mellott.

At the dinner table my three-year old niece asked for a third helping, but Grandma confronted her by saying: "I'm afraid you'll get so fat you won't be able to walk." Her reply was: "But Granny, you can still walk."  
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PEOPLE WHO are superstitious about Friday, 13th can relax in 1952. There is only one such unfortunate combination of dates, and it comes in June.

The black tabby who surveyed last year's Friday, the 13th, did so in July.

## G. CARTER CONDUCTS MEETING OF DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

DRUMHELLER—A meeting of the Drumheller District Agricultural Society was held in the office of the District Agriculturist on Wednesday, Feb. 20. President George Carter of Delia conducted the meeting.

Report from the Soil Conservation and Agricultural Engineering committee recommended that three tillage demonstrations be held this year, one at Morrin, another at Carbon and a third at Rockyford. Tentative dates were set in the first week in June.

This same committee submitted a resolution as follows: That the Department of Highways investigate the advisability of encouraging a major shelter belt planting program beside the main and secondary highways. The purpose of the proposed planting is to attempt to reduce the cost of snow clearing. The resolution underlined the need for three way cooperation among the provincial government, the municipalities concerned and the individual farmers. The resolution was adopted.

There was a lengthy discussion on girls' clubs and their function. Miss Lorraine Shatz, the District Home Economist, reported that she now has six girls' clubs working in the district which she serves. The meeting was reminded that the prize list for the Country Home Makers' Fair has been greatly broadened both in the number and value of prizes offered, and a class may be opened for city home makers. This fair will be held on the same day as the calf show and sale, May 30.

In response to a request from Acme a short course will probably be held there in the near future.

The meeting agreed that a leadership training school should be held in Drumheller during a week of July or August. This course would be open to young people who are already engaged in some

sort of leadership work in the district served by this Agricultural Society. The courses which have been suggested include public speaking, techniques of press reporting, community studies, sports and recreation.

A resolution to the effect that an Elective Project, outside of those already offered, be added to the list of projects open to junior members, was adopted. It is to be understood, of course, that these alternative projects be subject to the approval of the Department of Agriculture. Copies of this resolution will be sent to G. S. Black and to the Hon. D. A. Ure.

The Rural Health and the Women's Work Committee and the Junior Club Activities Committee are being reorganized. Suggested names for the newly formed committees are the Rural Health Committee and the Junior Girls' Club Work Committee.

N. Gilbert, of Over the Hill district, in an interesting manner outlined a crop insurance plan as it now operates in parts of the United States. Mr. Gilbert will head a committee to investigate the possibilities of having a similar plan adopted in Canada. The outstanding feature of this plan is that it covers loss of crops due to any natural cause.

The importance of calthood

vaccination for Bang's disease was emphasized by this meeting.

A letter from the Cluny Calf Club indicated that they will be entered in the Drumheller show and sale.

P. J. Rock announced to the meeting that the Canadian Wool Growers' Association had contributed a substantial prize to the Country Home Makers' Fair because they felt that the Drumheller District Agricultural Society has done more for its own communities than any similar organization in Canada.

It is hoped that an all out drive will increase the membership to well over 1,250 this year.

This resolution, submitted by R. M. Ward of Acme, was adopted at the Agricultural meeting:

Whereas: The majority of boys and girls living on farms receive their high school education in secondary schools which have a teaching staff numbering three or less, and

Whereas: In most cases, since these schools have neither the facilities necessary nor the teachers suitably trained, they are unable to offer effective courses in agriculture and household economics, and

Whereas: The programs of Junior Clubs offer a very valuable

training to their members by virtue of the fact that the clubs are adapted to the localities in which they are operating, and

Whereas: On the one hand the leaders of these clubs are men who have demonstrated their competence in practical agriculture, and on the other the projects of the members are appraised by the District Agriculturists and Home Economists who are specially trained in this work, and

Whereas: Despite the fact that many youngsters realize that they would benefit greatly by participating in club enterprises, they hesitate to do so because in school they are already following a heavy program of study which includes courses not nearly as valuable to them as a year spent in club work would be, and

Whereas: The Department of Education has already recognized special training in fields as widely divergent as music and cadet corps under arrangements made entirely outside the schoolroom, after the results have been evaluated by competent authorities;

Now therefore be it resolved: That the two departments concerned be requested to examine the possibility of having work carried on by children in Junior Club projects recognized by the Department of Education as a suitable credit in the high school curriculum.

Suggested Methods of Recognition:

1. Successful completion of a year's work as member of a Junior Club might be recognized as an exploratory subject in the Intermediate School and/or a General Elective in the High School with a value of three or more credits. Of necessity these credits would be delayed until after the evaluation of the club work in the fall.
2. Such credits might be granted on the recommendation of an advisory committee consisting of

the school teacher, the club leader, the District Agriculturist and the District Home Economist.

3. Otherwise a course on the general principles of agriculture or household economics might be offered in school and awarded two or three credits. The granting of credits for club work could then be made dependent on the student satisfactorily completing this course of study.

## Grade XII Students Win Drama Shield

RED DEER — On Thursday night, February 21, in the Memorial Centre at Red Deer, the drama class of the Composite High School sponsored three one-act plays, one each by Grades X, XI and XII. The shield was won by the Grade XII's play "So Wonderful (In White)".

Phyllis Scholefield, Grade XII, won the silver cup awarded to the best actress of the three plays. A silver cup was also awarded to the best actor and to the best director of the plays.

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